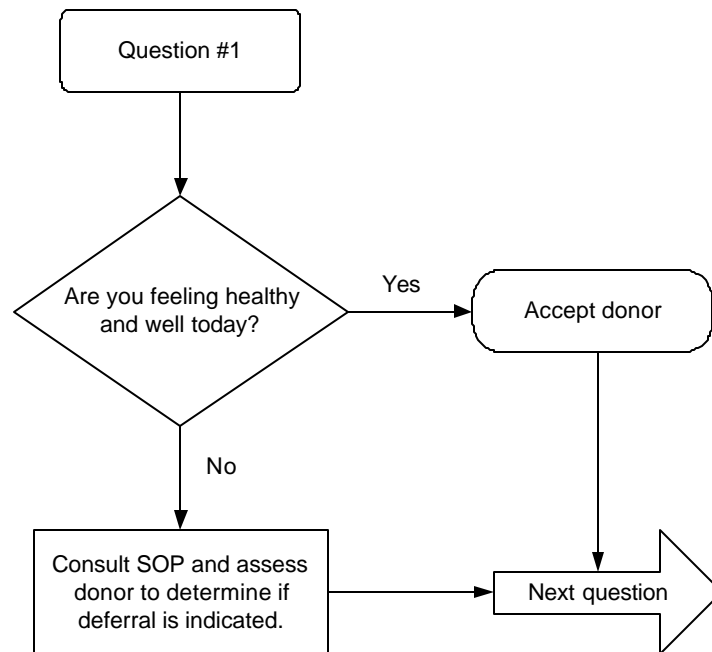


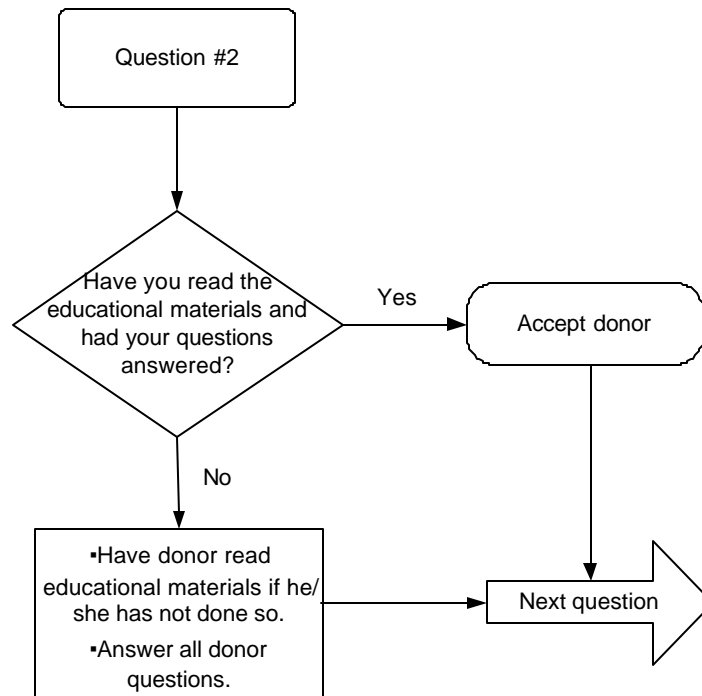
Question: 1. Are you feeling healthy and well today?

Donor Eligibility: A donor should be free of infectious diseases and colds on the day of donation. Donors who are not in good health should not donate until it is determined that the underlying condition is not cause for deferral.



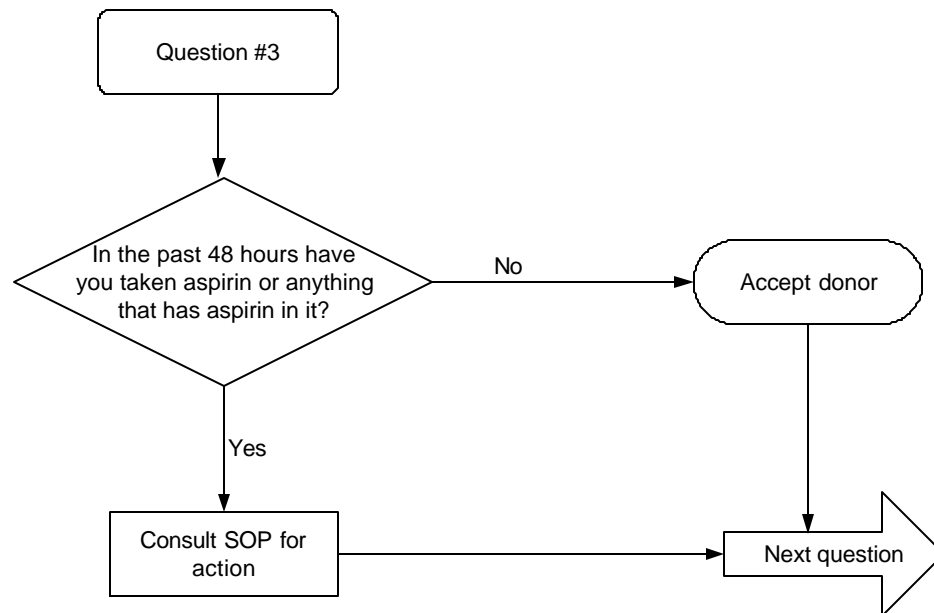
Question: 2. Have you read the educational materials and had your questions answered?

Donor Eligibility: Donors must read the educational materials prior to donating and have an opportunity to have their questions answered.



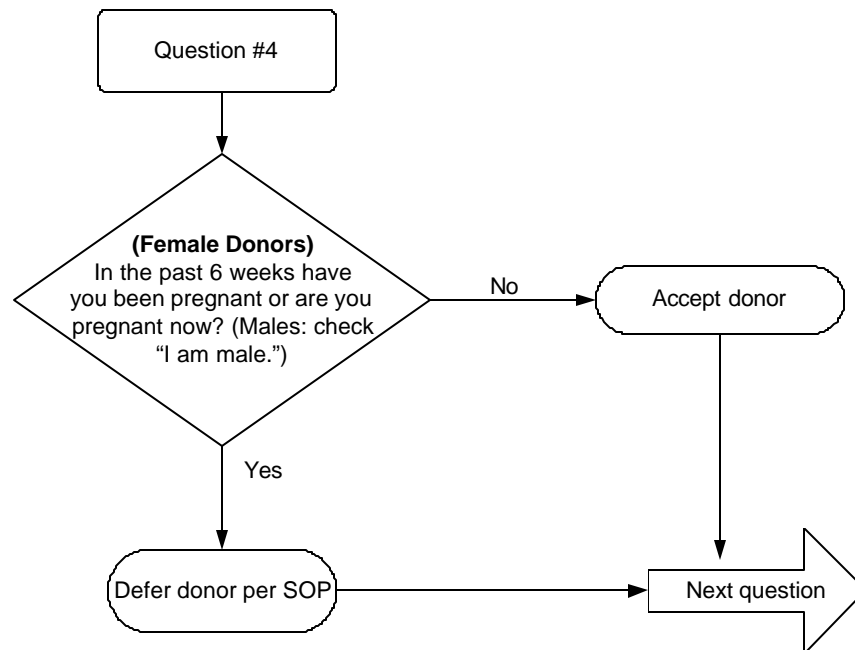
Question: 3. In the past 48 hours have you taken aspirin or anything that has aspirin in it?

Donor Eligibility: Aspirin irreversibly inactivates platelet function. Donors who are taking aspirin or any aspirin containing medication should not be the sole source of platelets.



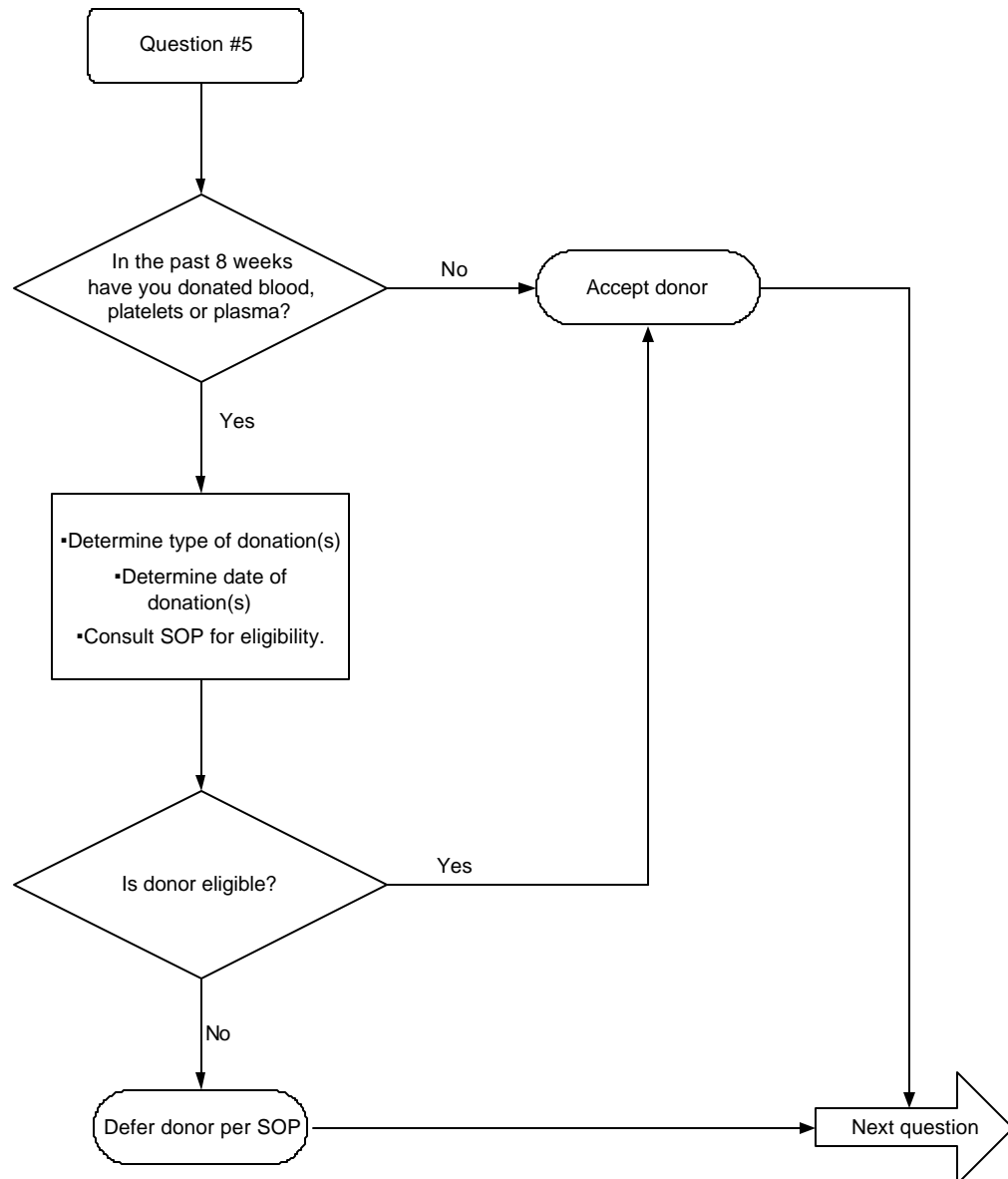
Question: 4. (Female Donors) In the past 6 weeks, have you been pregnant or are you pregnant now? (Males: check "I am male.")

Donor Eligibility: A female with a known pregnancy or who has been pregnant in the last 6 weeks should not donate blood.



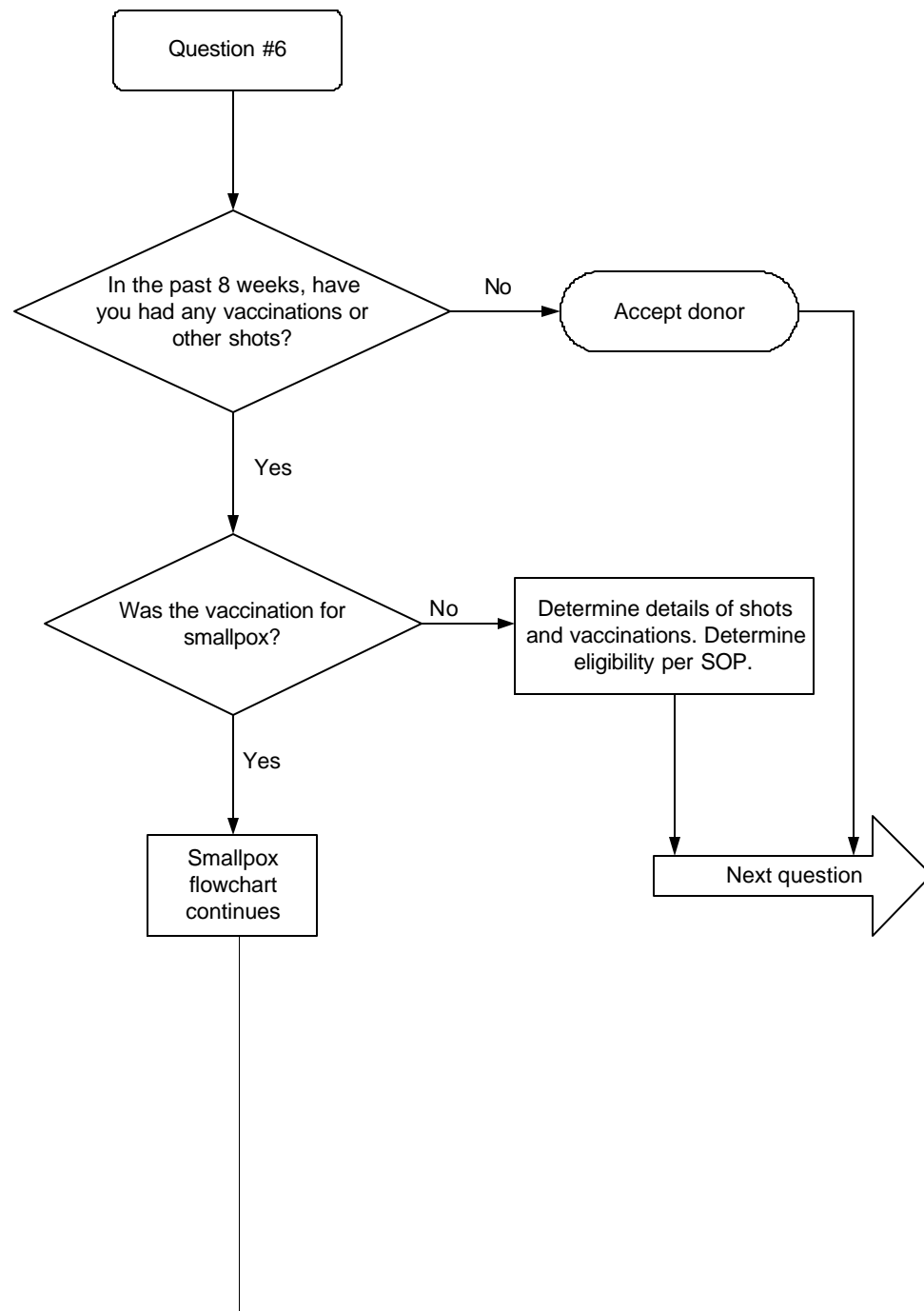
Question: 5. In the past 8 weeks have you donated blood, platelets or plasma?

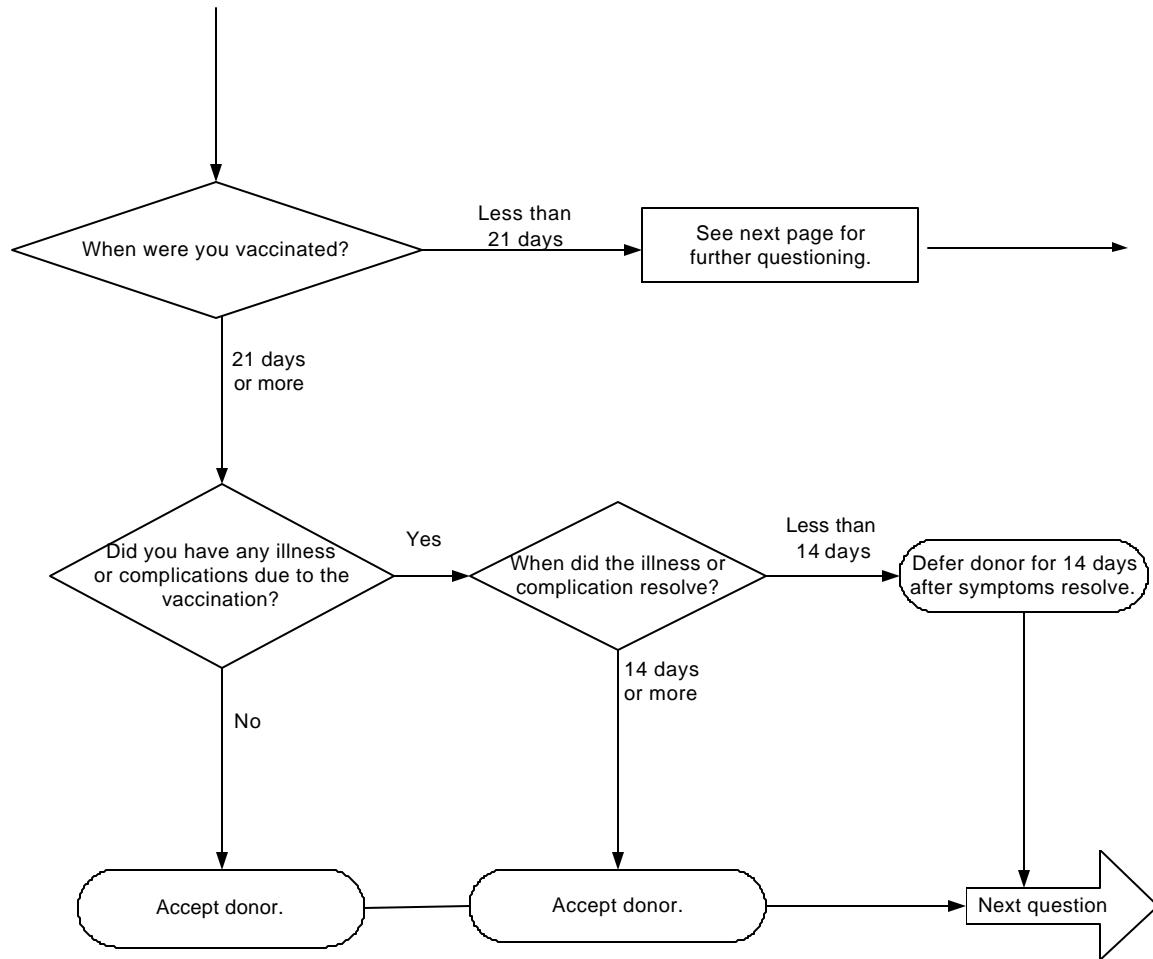
Donor Eligibility: Frequency of whole blood donation is a minimum of every 8 weeks; plasma, platelets or leukapheresis is a minimum of every 48 hours.

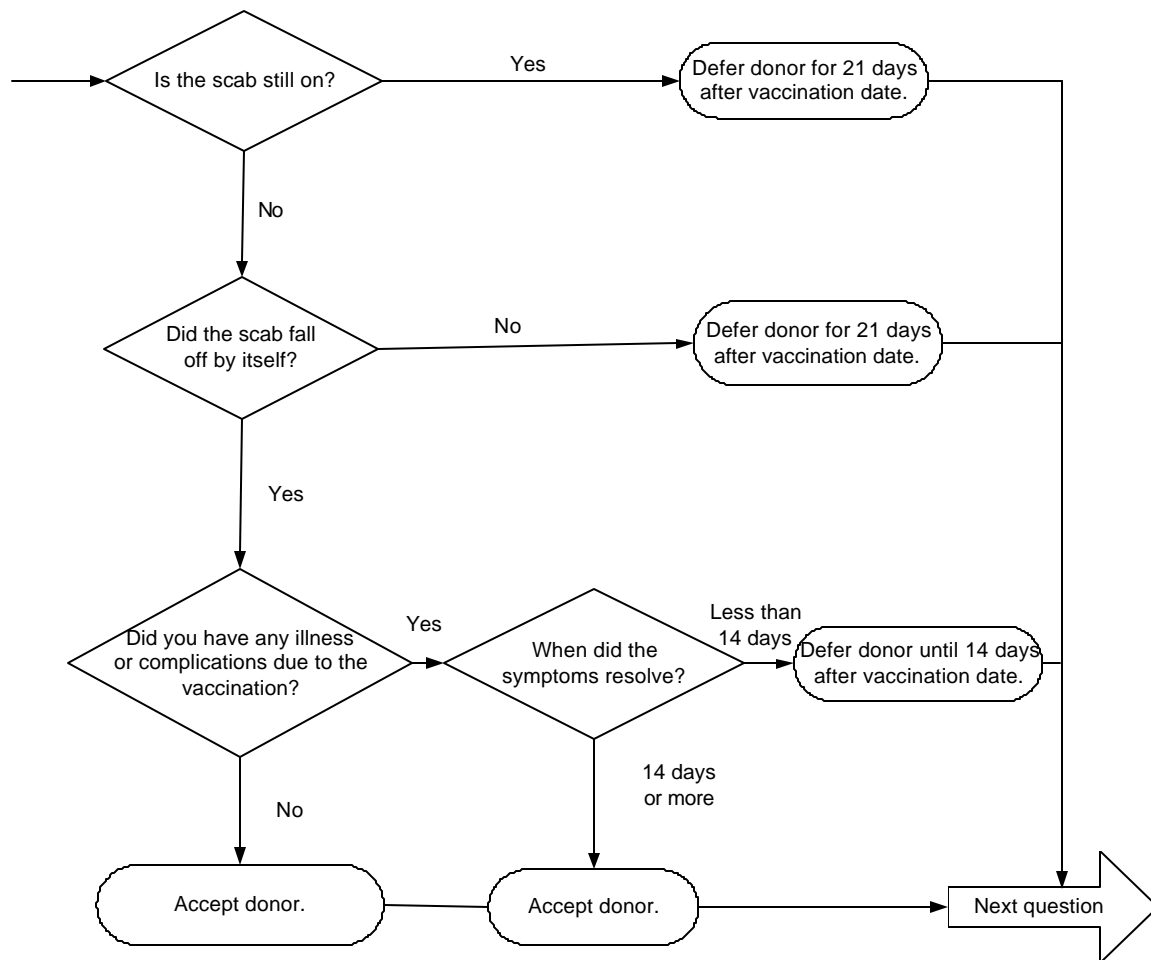


Question: 6. In the past 8 weeks, have you had any vaccinations or other shots?

Donor Eligibility: Certain vaccinations may contain live viruses. A donor who has been exposed to a live virus via vaccination should not serve as a donor. For other shots, refer to SOP.

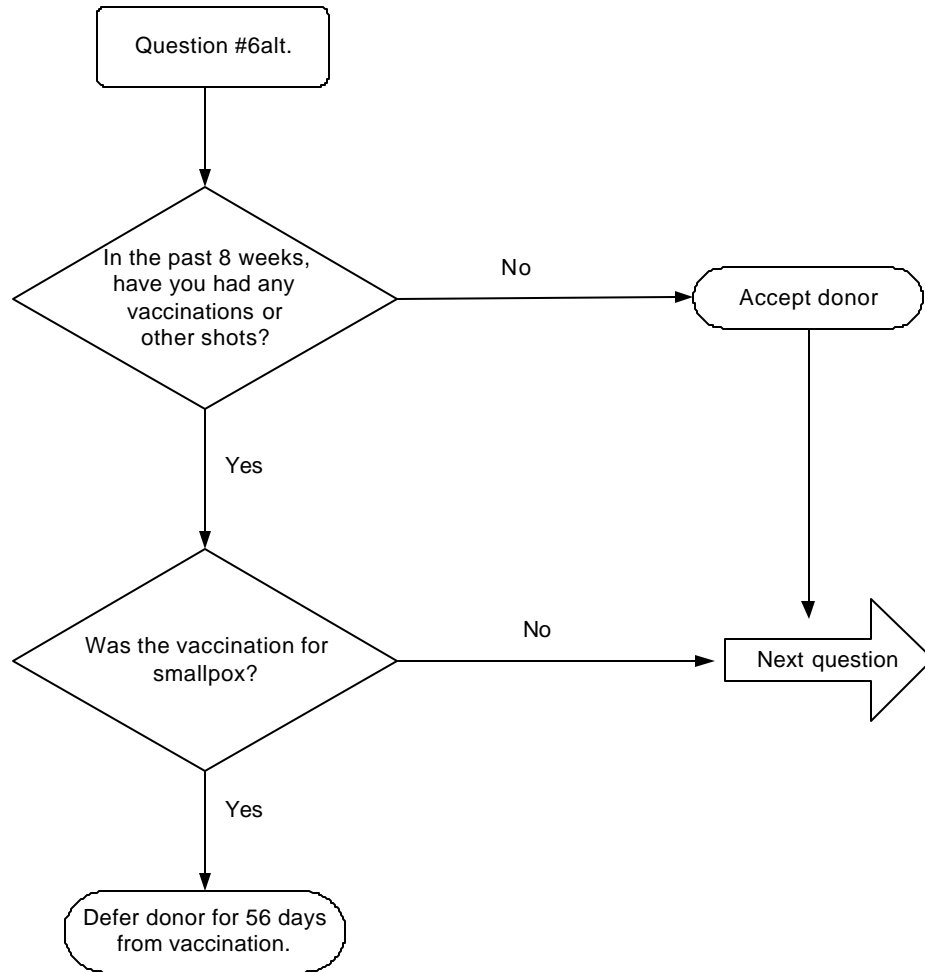






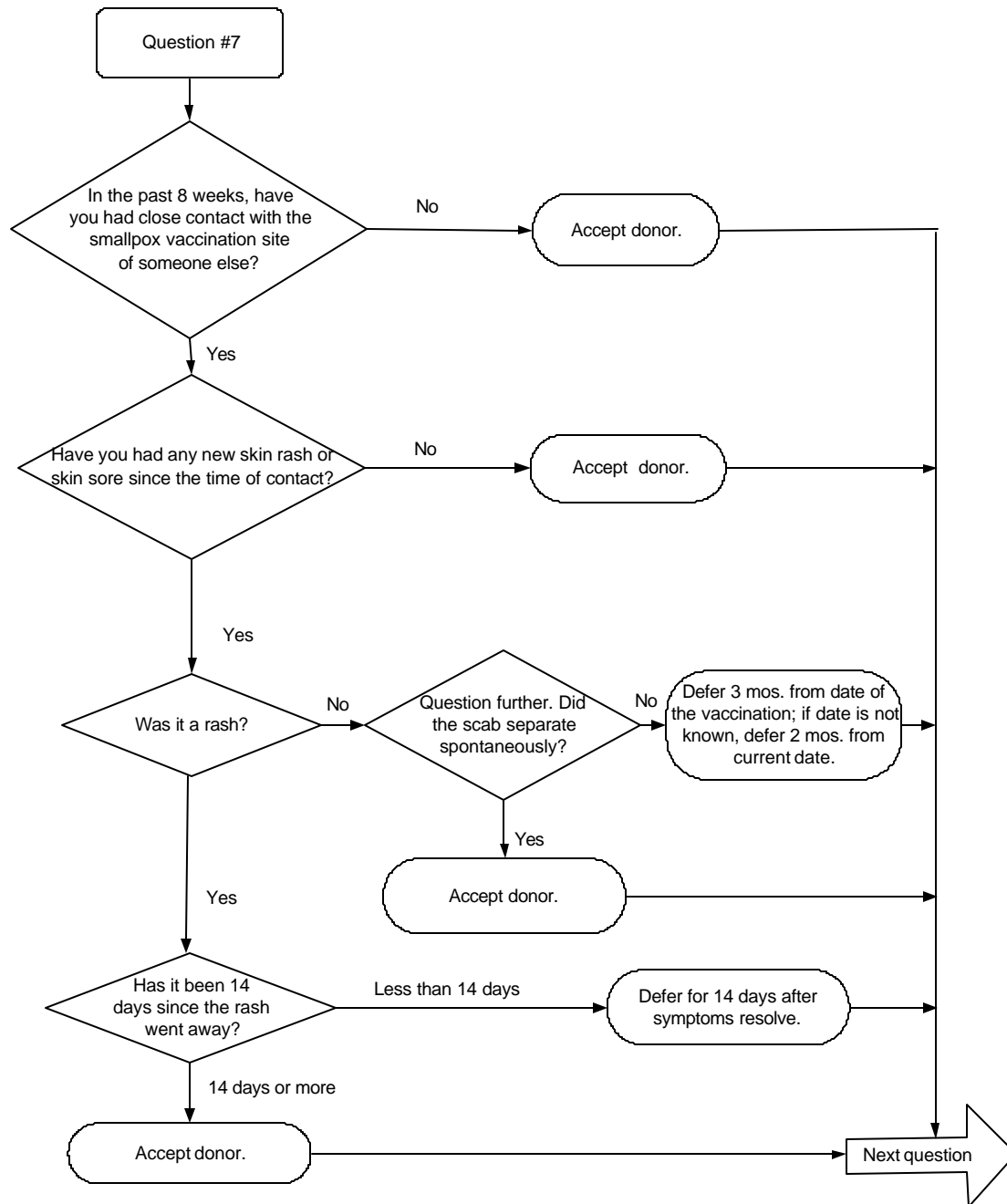
Question: 6alt. In the past 8 weeks, have you had any vaccinations or other shots??

Donor Eligibility: Certain vaccinations may contain live viruses. A donor who has been exposed to a live virus via vaccination should not serve as a donor. For other shots, refer to SOP.



Question: 7. In the past 8 weeks, have you had close contact with the smallpox vaccination site of someone else?

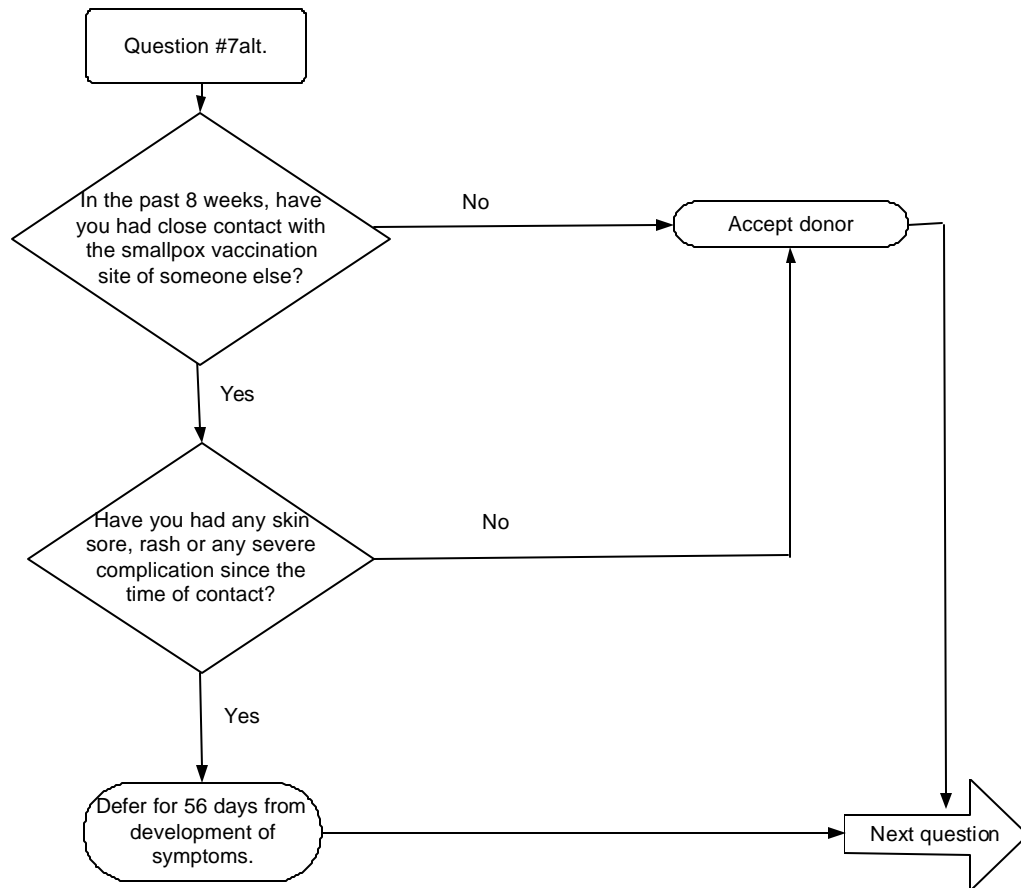
Donor Eligibility: Certain vaccinations may contain live viruses. A donor who has had close contact with the vaccination site, bandages covering the vaccination site or materials that might have come into contact with an unbandaged vaccination site, including clothing, may be exposed to the live virus and should not serve as a donor.



Question: 7alt. In the past 8 weeks, have you had close contact with the smallpox vaccination site of someone else?

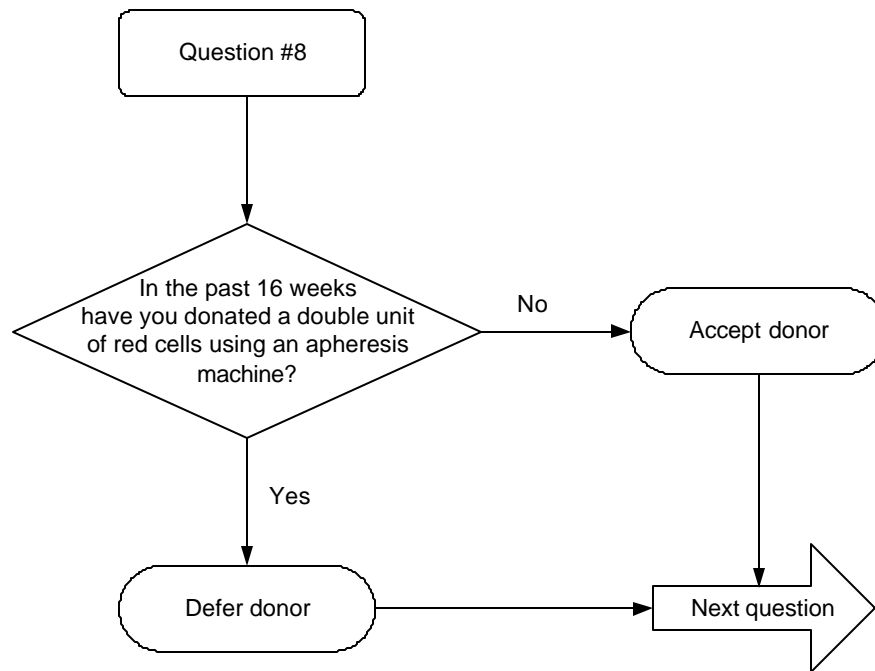
Donor Eligibility: Certain vaccinations may contain live viruses. A donor who has had close contact with the vaccination site, bandages or covering clothing may be exposed to the live virus and should not serve as a donor.

Note: Severe complications include the following: rash (resembling blisters) covering a small or large area of the body; necrosis (tissue death) in the area of exposure; encephalitis (inflammation of the brain); infection of the cornea (eye); and localized or systemic skin reaction in someone with eczema or other chronic skin condition.



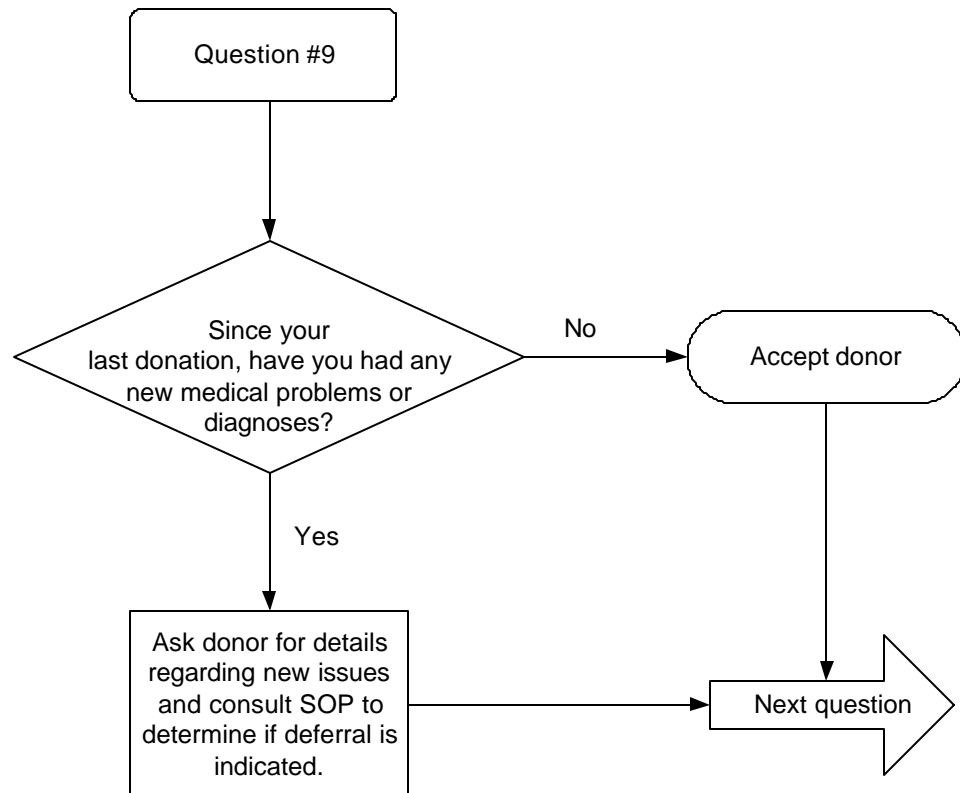
Question: 8. In the past 16 weeks have you donated a double unit of red cells using an apheresis machine?

Donor Eligibility: A donor should not donate double red cells by apheresis more frequently than every 16 weeks.



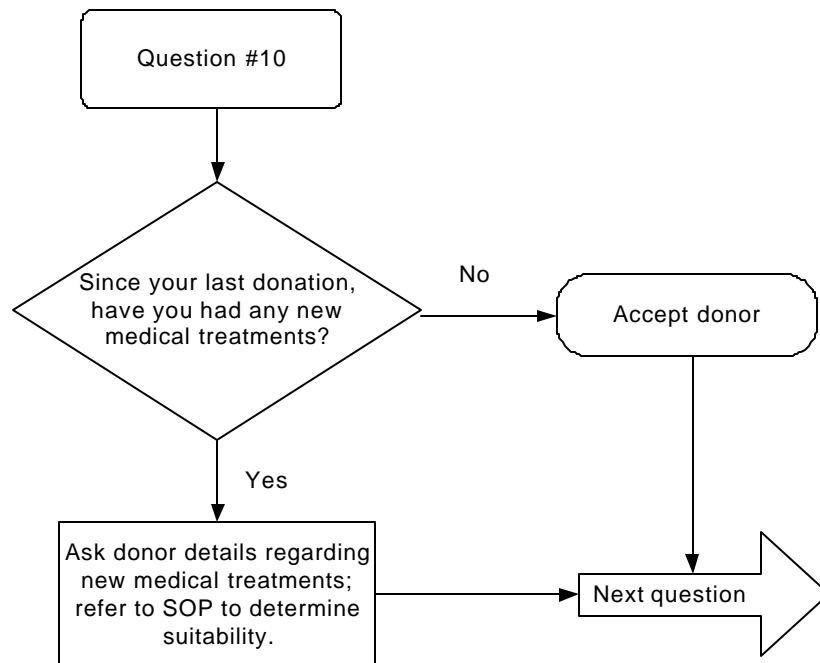
Question: 9. Since your last donation, have you had any new medical problems or diagnoses?

Donor Eligibility: Certain medical conditions may be cause for the donor to be ineligible to donate.



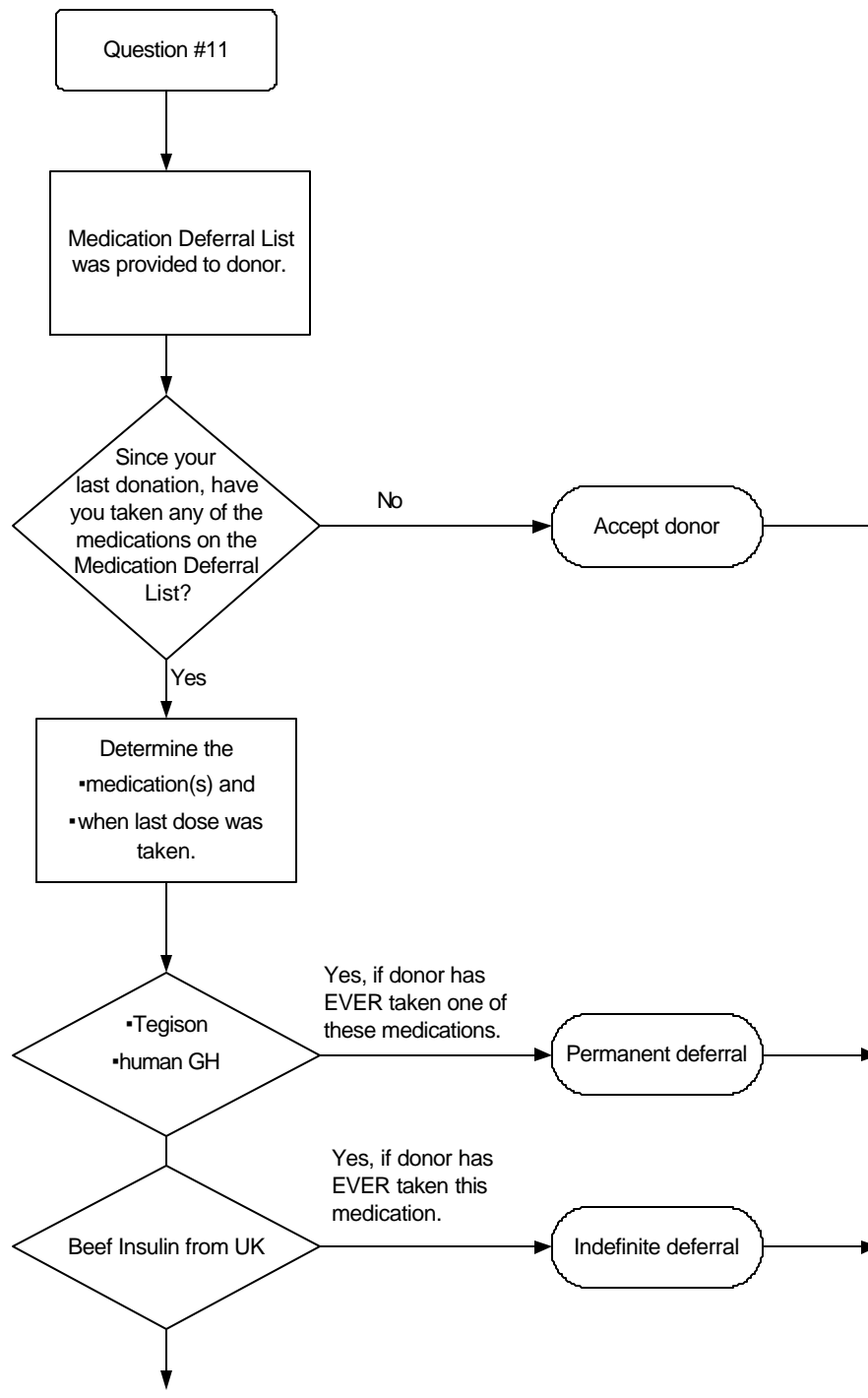
Question: 10. Since your last donation, have you had any new medical treatments?

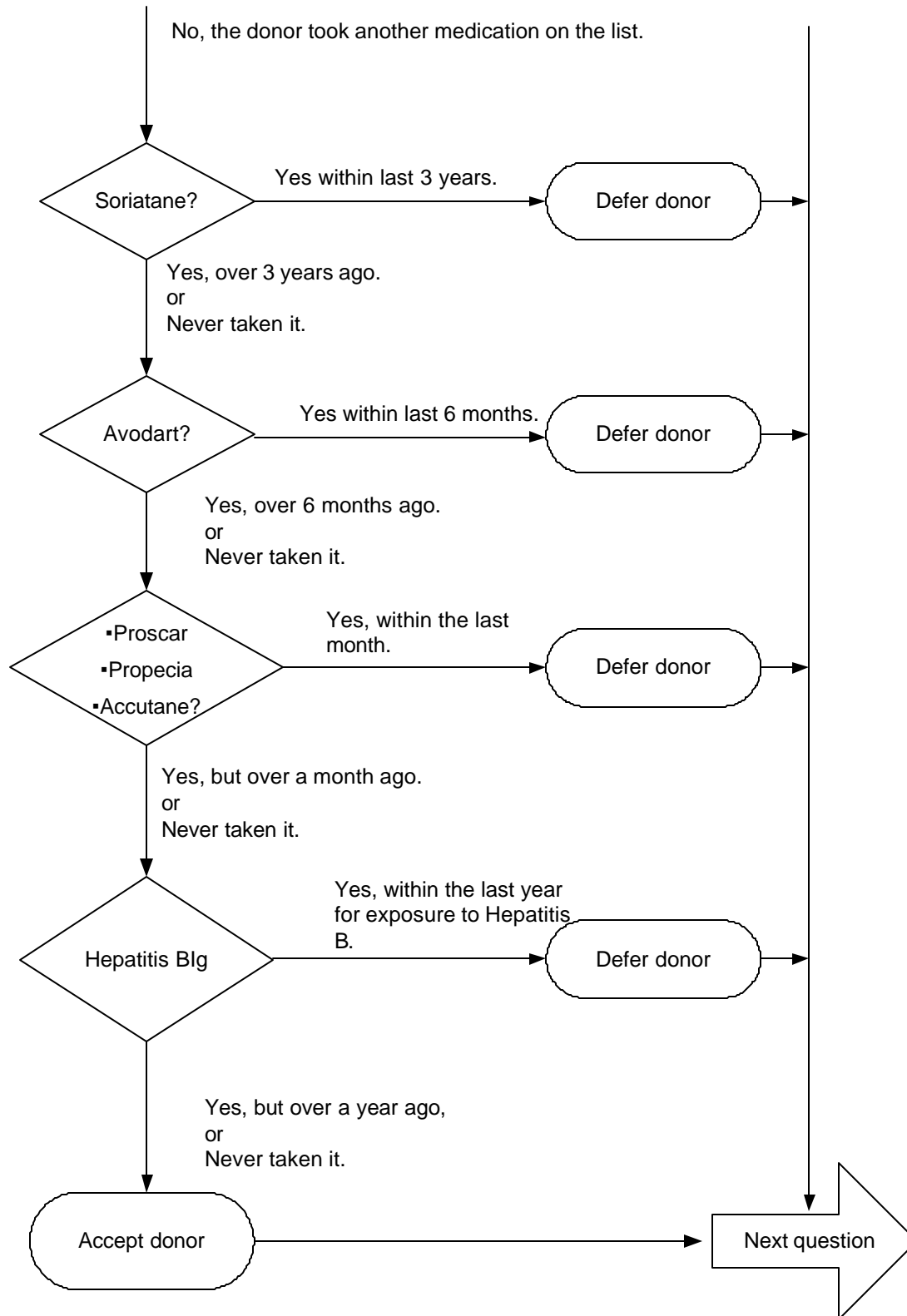
Donor Eligibility: Certain medical treatments might indicate an underlying medical condition that would cause for the donor to be ineligible to donate.



Question: 11. Since your last donation, have you taken any of the medications on the Medication Deferral List?

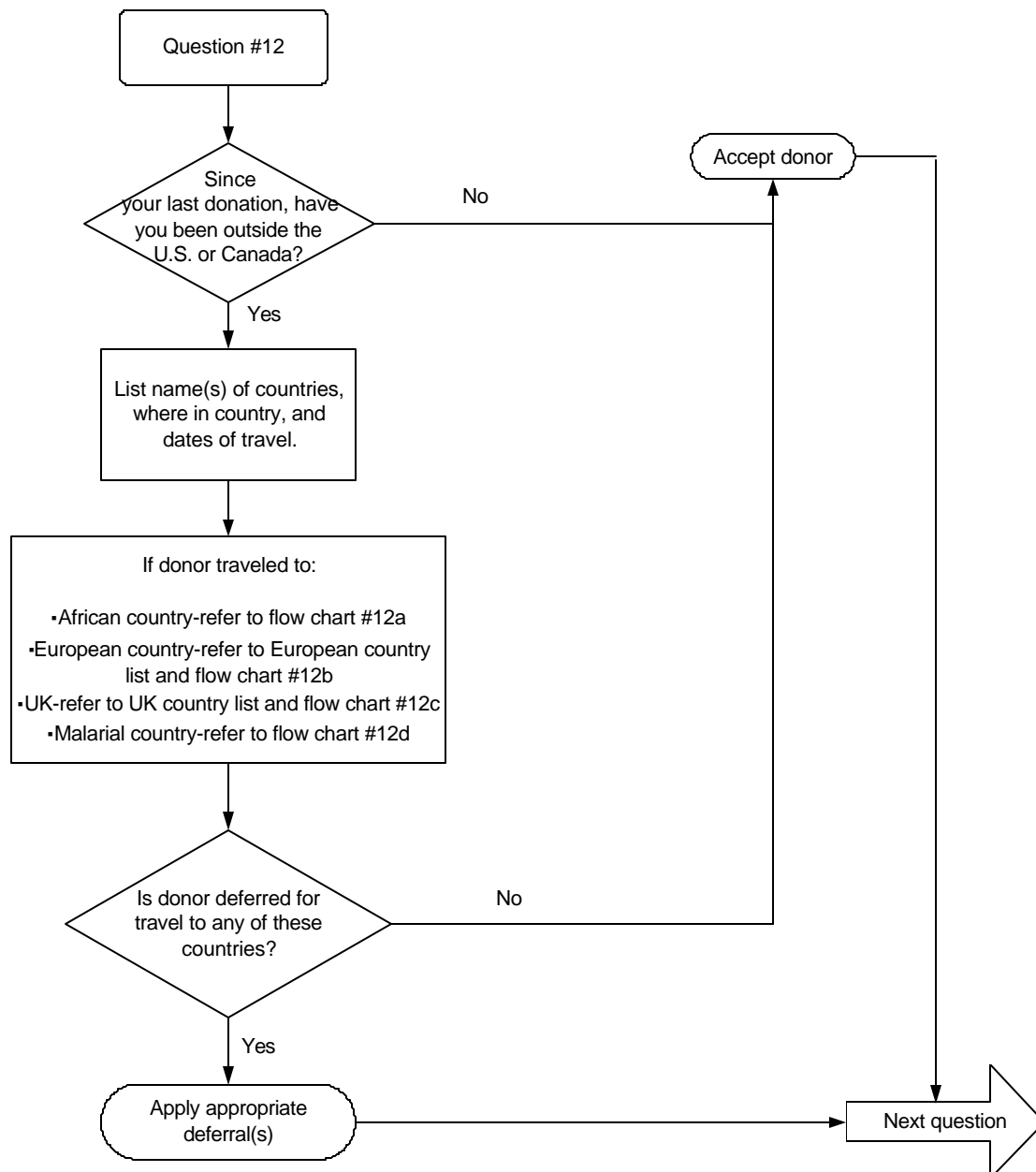
Donor Eligibility: Donors taking certain designated medications, currently or in the past, must not donate blood.





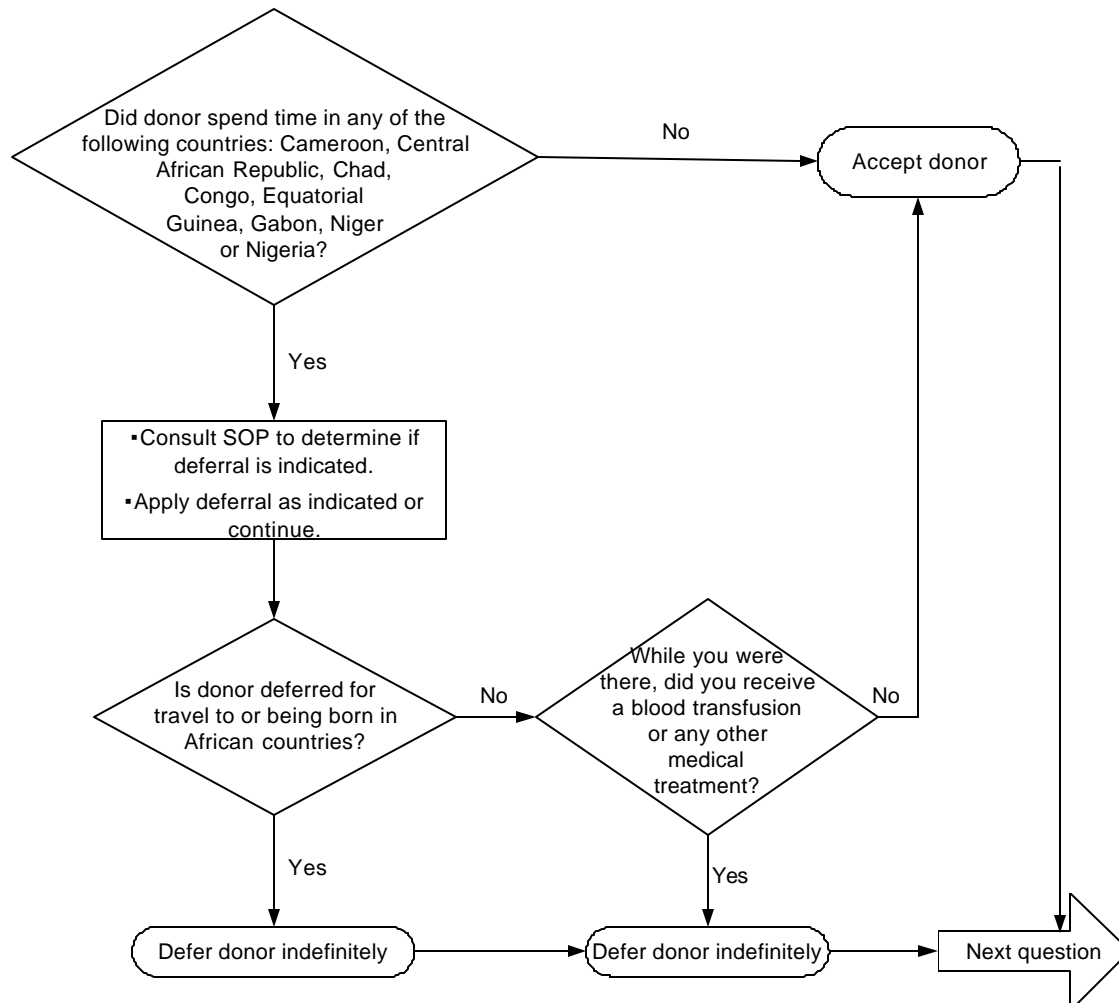
Question: 12. Since your last donation, have you been outside the U.S. or Canada?

Donor Eligibility: Donors who have been outside the U.S. or Canada should be evaluated for eligibility. Travel to certain areas may constitute reason for deferral. (See additional flow charts.)



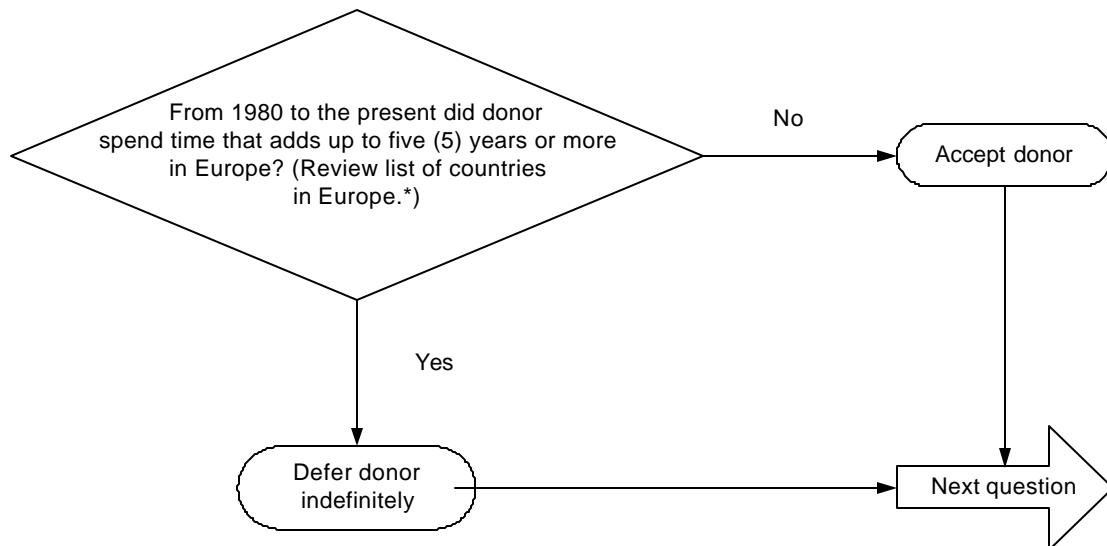
12a. Flow chart for Africa travel, residence or place of birth

Donor Eligibility: Donors who were born in or have lived in certain countries in Africa since 1977 (see list below) are indefinitely deferred. Donors who have received a blood transfusion or any other medical treatment in Africa are indefinitely deferred. Donors may have been exposed to rare strains of HIV that are not detected by current test methods.



12b. Flow chart for time spent in Europe.

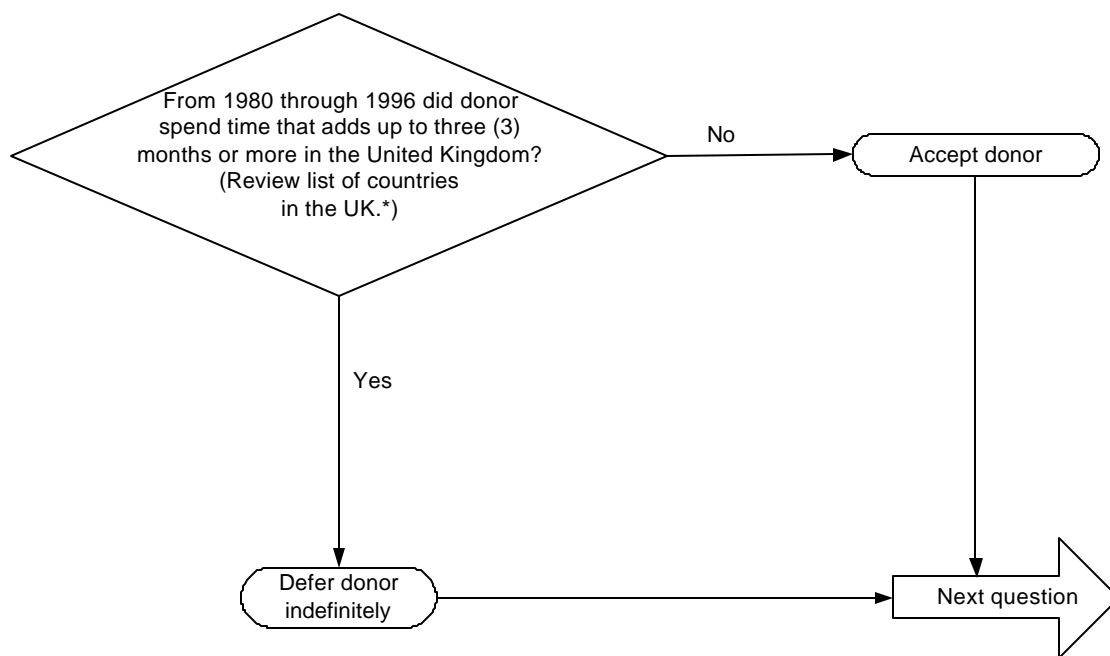
Donor Eligibility: Donors who have spent time that adds up to five (5) years or more in Europe from 1980 the present are indefinitely deferred. Donors may be at theoretical risk of developing vCJD from eating beef Europe. There may be a theoretical risk of transmitting vCJD through blood transfusion.



* See FDA "Guidance for Industry: Revised Preventive Measures to Reduce the Possible Risk of Transmission of Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD) and Variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease vCJD) by Blood and Blood Products." <http://www.fda.gov/cber/gdlns/cjdvcjd.htm>

12c. Flow chart for time spent in the United Kingdom. (Review list of countries in the UK.)

Donor Eligibility: Donors who have spent time that adds up to three (3) months or more in the United Kingdom from 1980 through 1996 are indefinitely deferred. Donors may be at theoretical risk of developing vCJD from eating beef from the UK. There may be a theoretical risk of transmitting vCJD through blood transfusion.

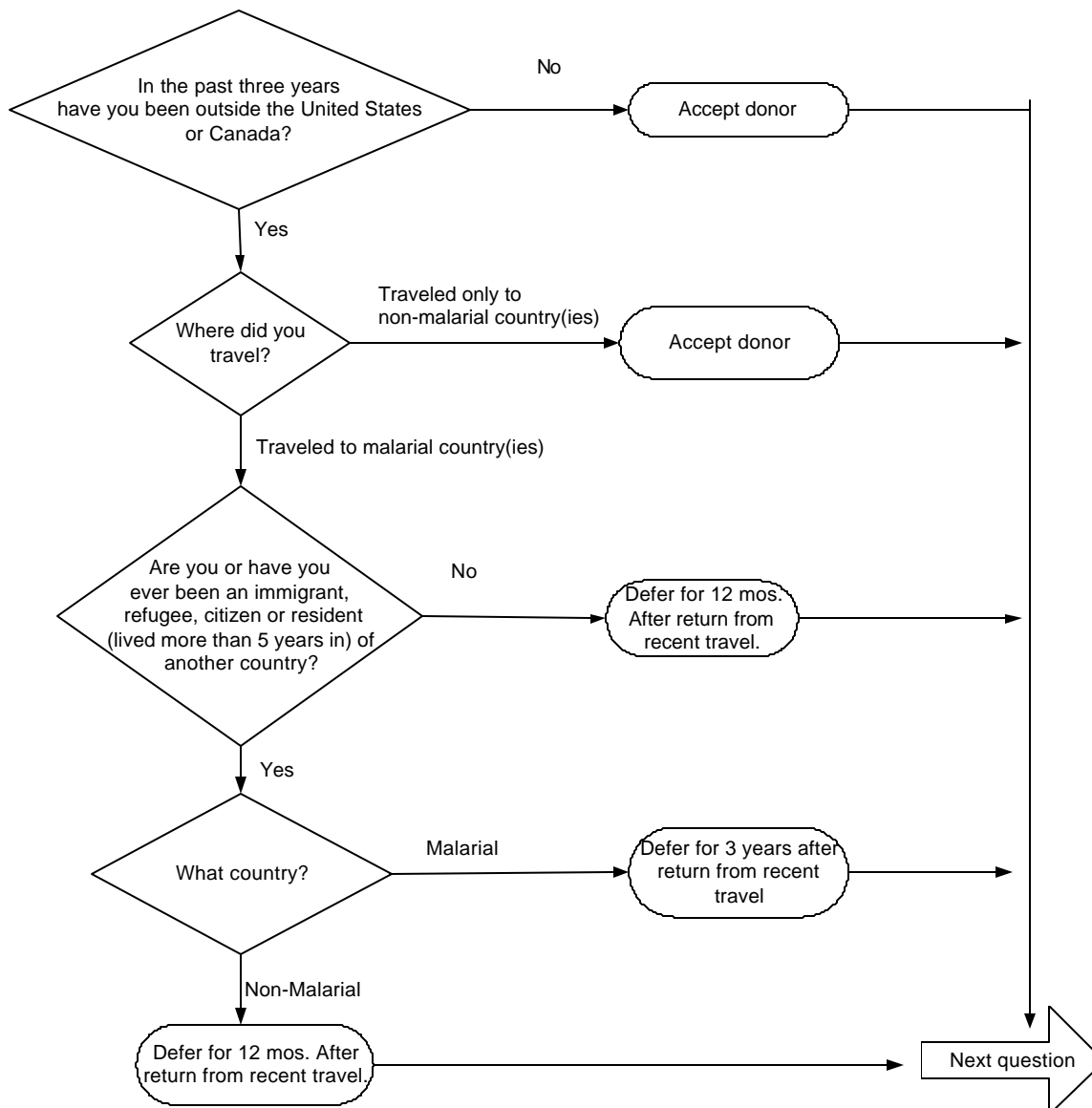


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12d. Flow chart for time spent outside U.S. or Canada in the past three years.

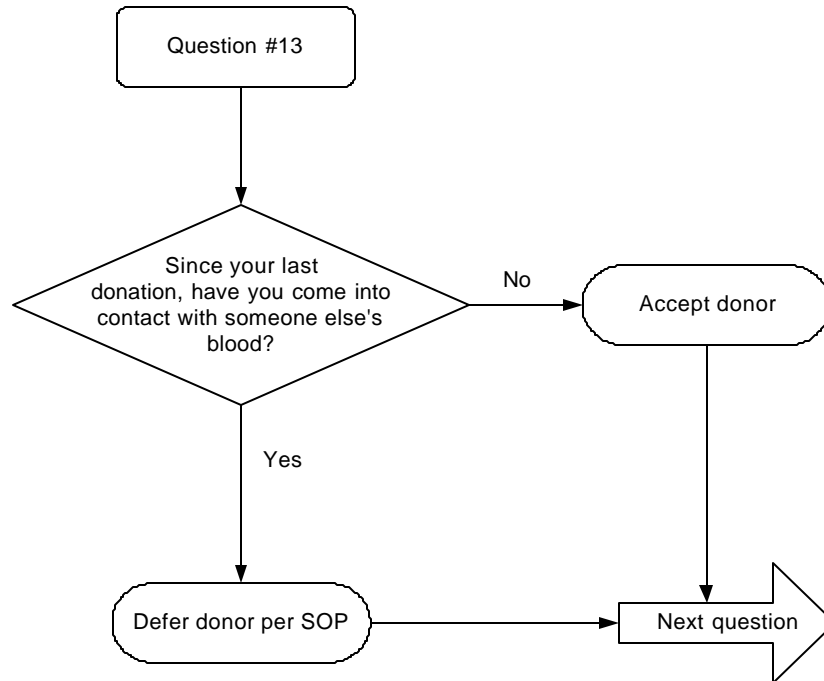
Donor Eligibility: Immigrants, refugees, or citizens coming from a country in which malaria is considered endemic will be deferred for 3 years after departure from the area if they have been free from unexplained symptoms suggestive of malaria. If after their arrival in the U.S., they visit any malarious region, a deferral of 3 years is applied. Other donors who have traveled to a country where malaria is considered endemic will be deferred for 12 months after returning from that area regardless of whether or not they took anti-malaria prophylaxis. Malaria may be transmitted through blood transfusion. The donors shall be accepted or deferred based on the Malaria Risk Countries as designated by your institution.

Note: Persons who possess a partial acquired immunity to malaria, such as those who previously have resided in a malarious region for at least five years (immigrants, refugees, citizens, persons who have been or who are residents of endemic countries), should not be accepted as donors of Whole Blood or blood components, including platelets, for a period of three years since their last visit to a malarious region.



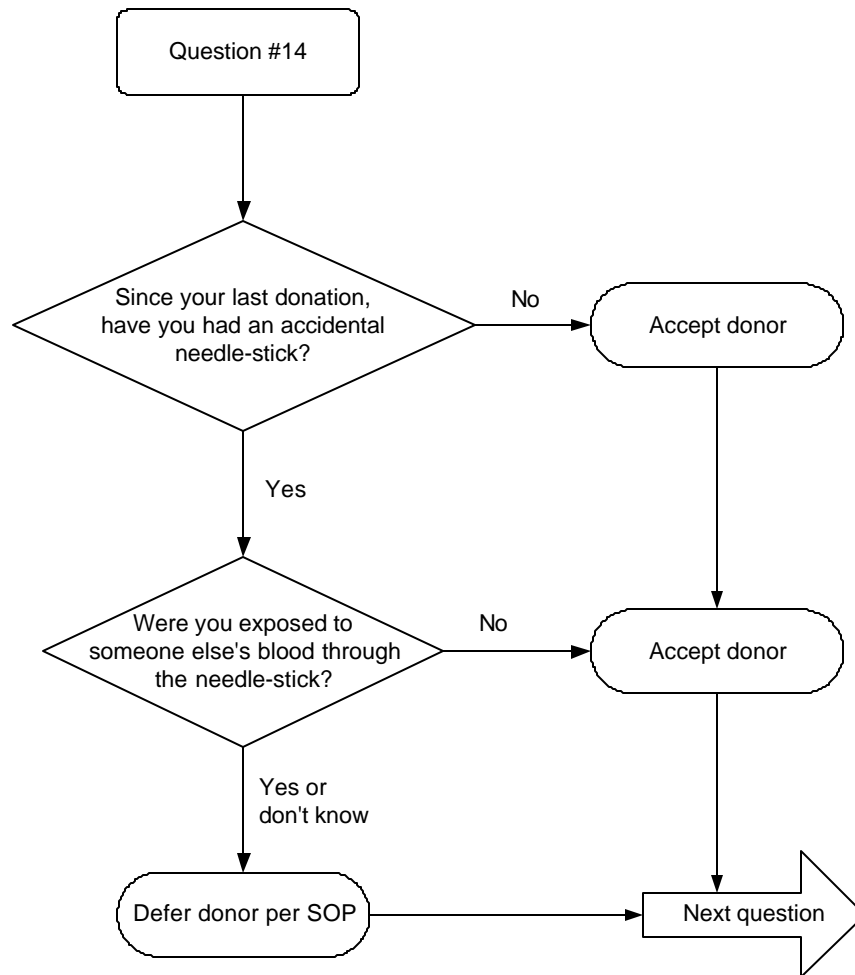
Question: 13. Since your last donation, have you come into contact with someone else's blood?

Donor Eligibility: Persons who have had one of the following during the preceding 12 months: 1) contact of an open wound, non-intact skin or mucous membrane with the blood of a person, or 2) a needle-stick or other sharps injury from an instrument that has been used on a person, are deferred for 12 months from the date of exposure. Infectious diseases may be spread through contact with blood.



Question: 14. Since your last donation, have you had an accidental needle-stick?

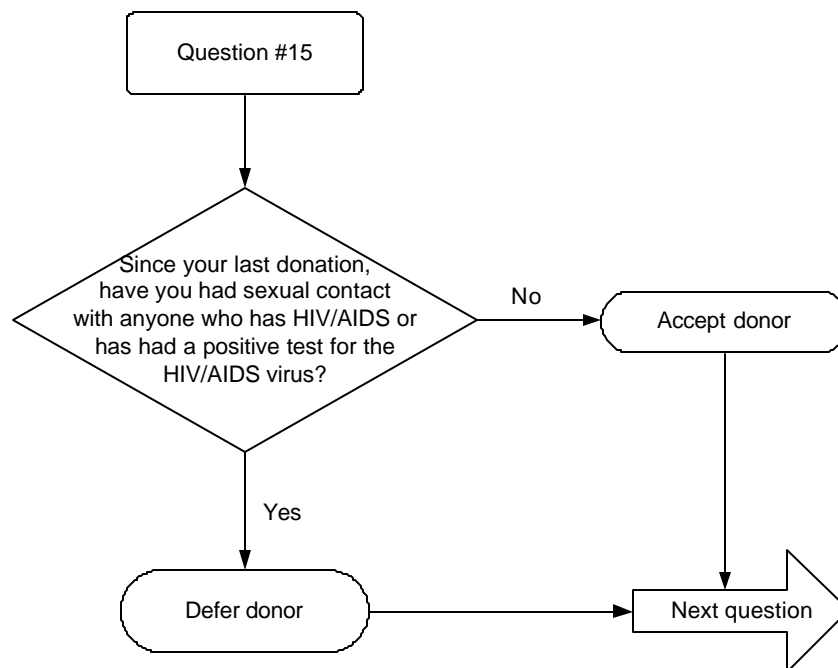
Donor Eligibility: A donor who has been exposed to someone else's blood through a needle-stick should not donate blood for 12 months following exposure, due to possible transmissibility of infectious disease.



Question: 15. Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with anyone who has HIV/AIDS or has had a positive test for the HIV/AIDS virus?

Donor Eligibility: Persons who have had sexual contact with persons with clinical or laboratory evidence of HIV infection are deferred for 12 months from the date of last contact. HIV may be transmitted through sexual contact with an infected person.

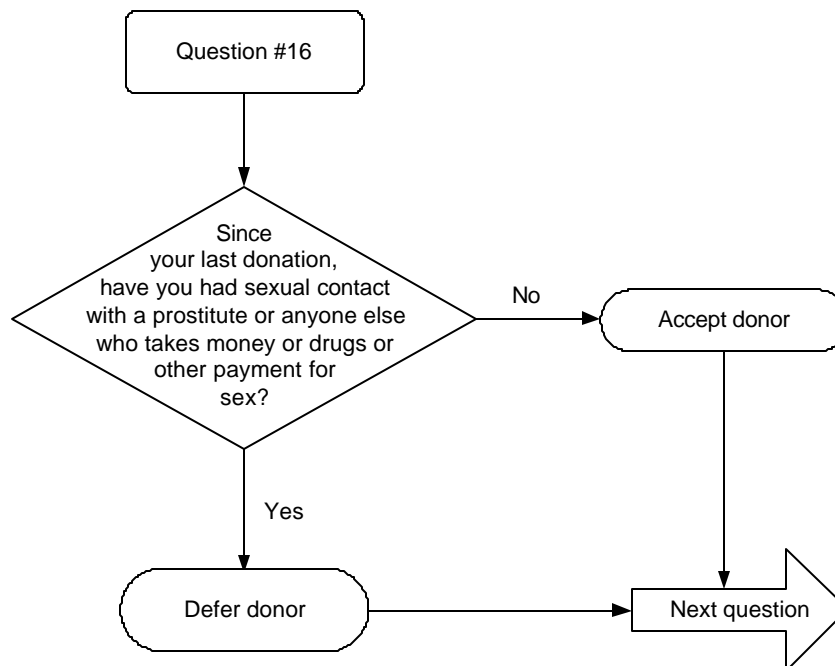
Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 16. Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with a prostitute or anyone else who takes money or drugs or other payment for sex?

Donor Eligibility: Persons who have given money or drugs in exchange for sex (sexual contact) are deferred for 12 months from the date of the last sexual contact. HIV and other diseases may be transmitted through sexual contact.

Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.

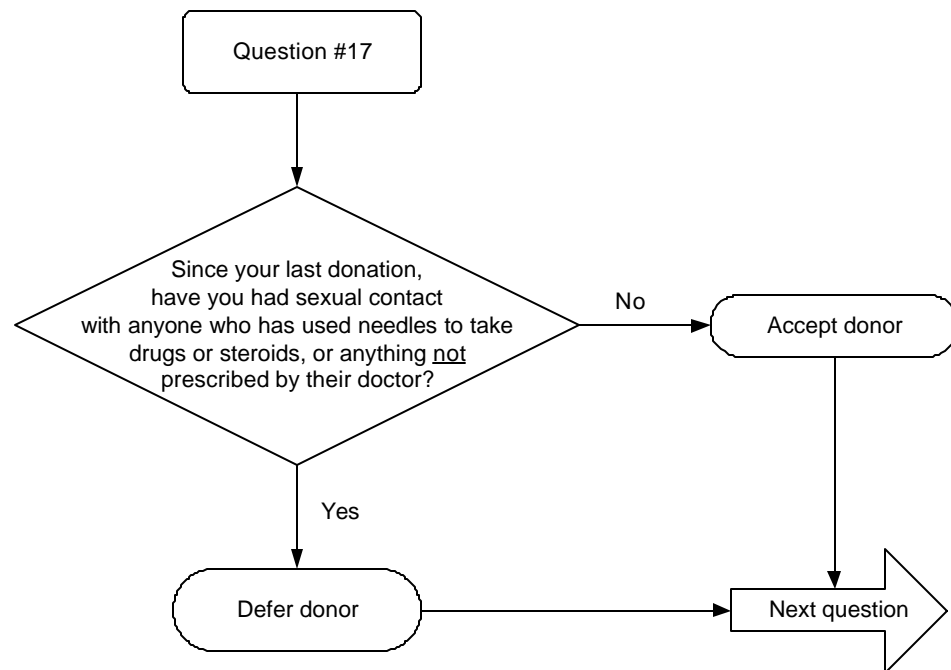


Question: 17. Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with anyone who has ever used needles to take drugs or steroids, or anything not prescribed by their doctor?

Donor Eligibility: Persons who have had sexual contact with persons who, in the past or present, have used needles to take drugs, steroids, or anything not prescribed by their doctor are deferred for 12 months from the date of the last sexual contact. HIV and other diseases may be transmitted through sexual contact.

Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.

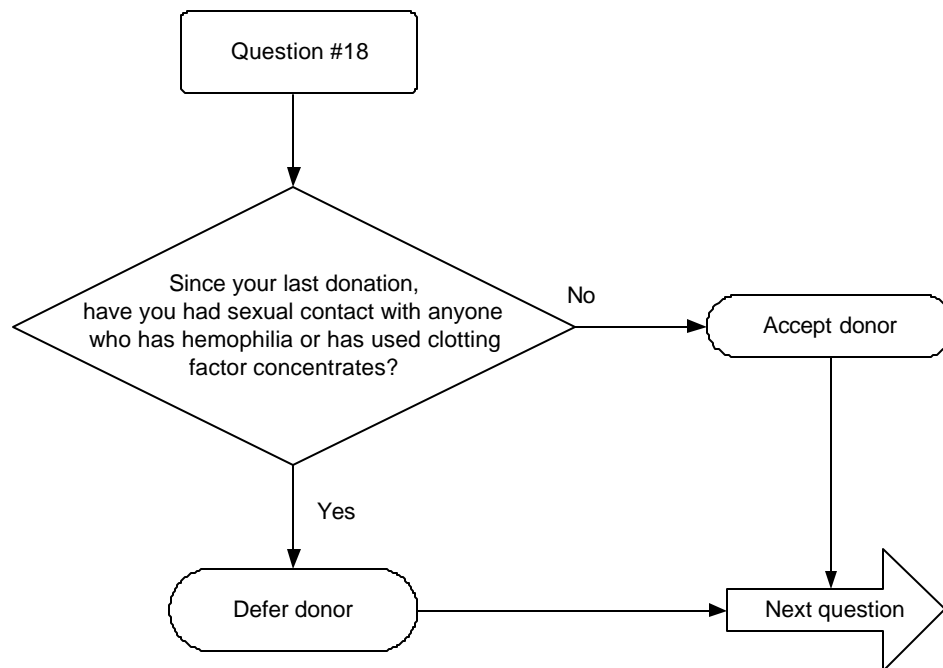
Note: The phrase "use of a needle" includes intravenous use, "skin popping" (injection under the skin), "mainlining" (arterial injection) and any other use of a needle to administer drugs, steroids or anything else not prescribed by their doctor.



Question: 18. Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with anyone who has hemophilia or has used clotting factor concentrates?

Donor Eligibility: Persons who have had sexual contact with one of the following: 1) any person with hemophilia or related clotting disorders; or 2) any person who has received clotting factor concentrates is deferred for 12 months. HIV and other diseases may be transmitted through sexual contact.

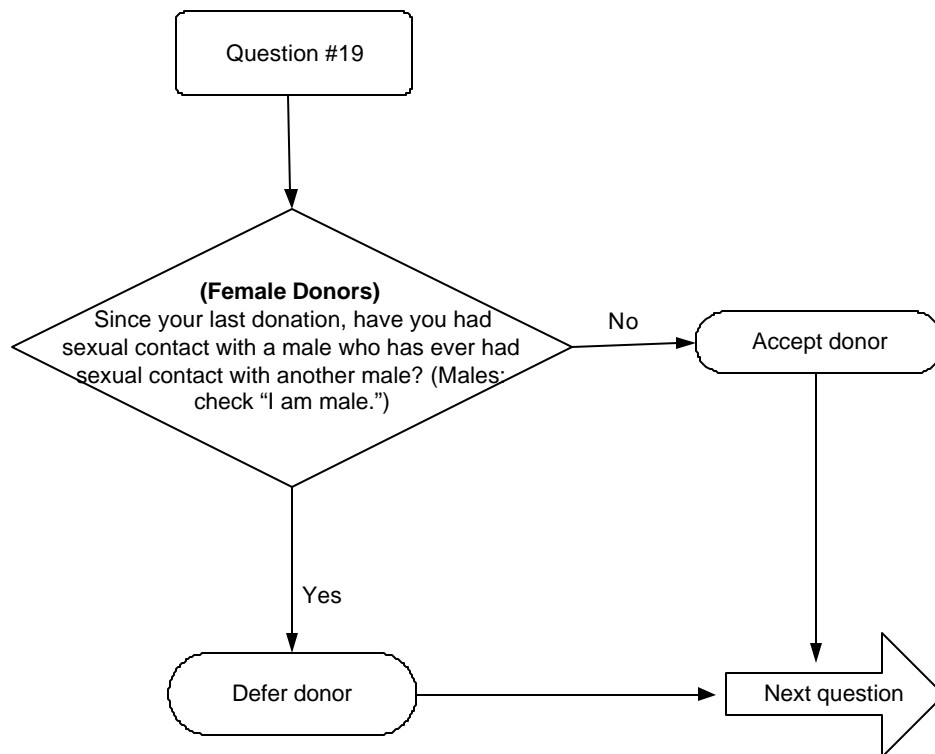
Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 19. Female donors: Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with a male who has ever had sexual contact with another male? (Males: check "I am male.")

Donor Eligibility: Women who have had sexual contact with men who have had sexual contact with another man even one time since 1977 are deferred for 12 months from the date of last sexual contact. HIV and other diseases may be transmitted through sexual contact.

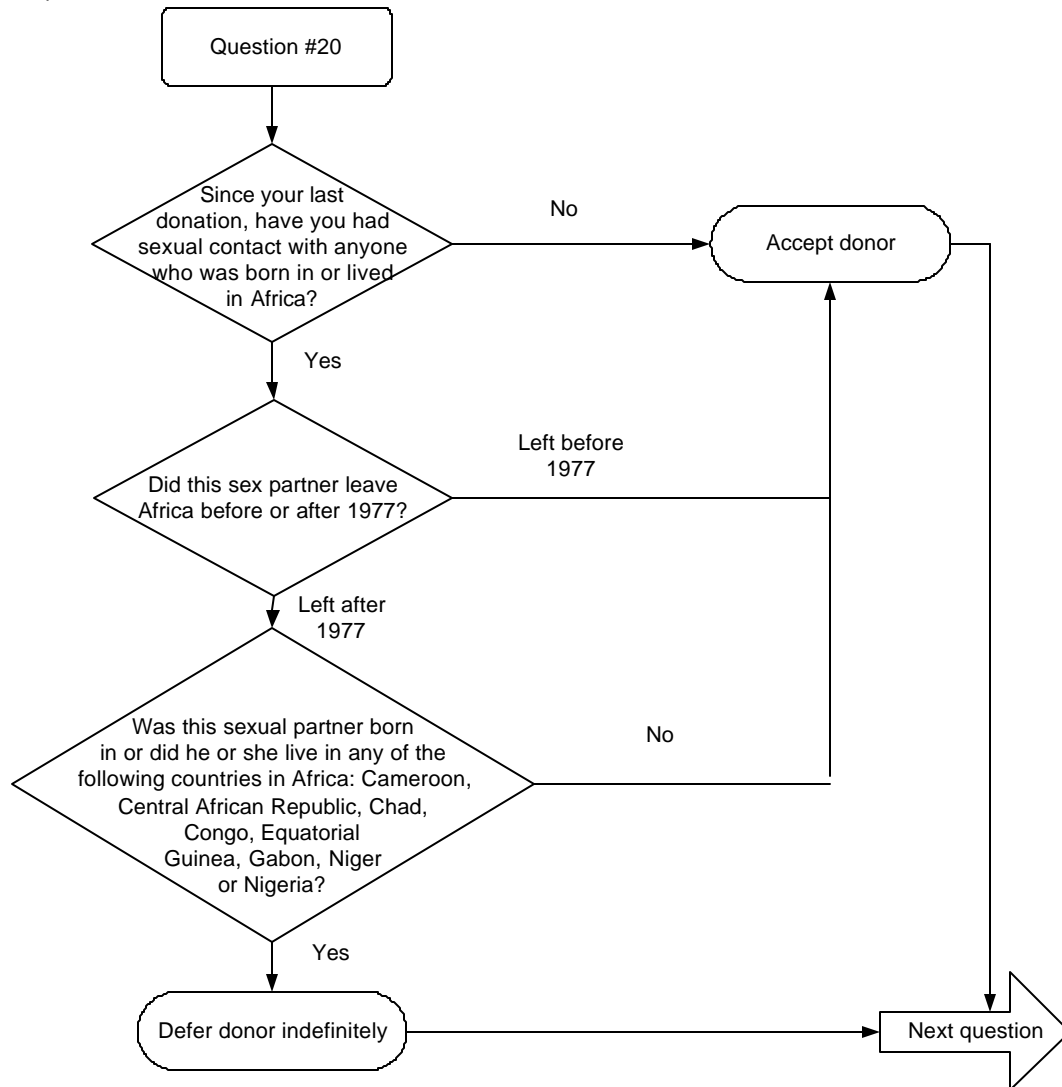
Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 20. Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with anyone who was born in or lived in Africa?

Donor Eligibility: If the donor had a sex partner who was born in or lived in certain countries in Africa (see list below) after 1977, the donor is indefinitely deferred. Donors who have had sexual contact may have been exposed to rare strains of HIV that are not detected by current test methods.

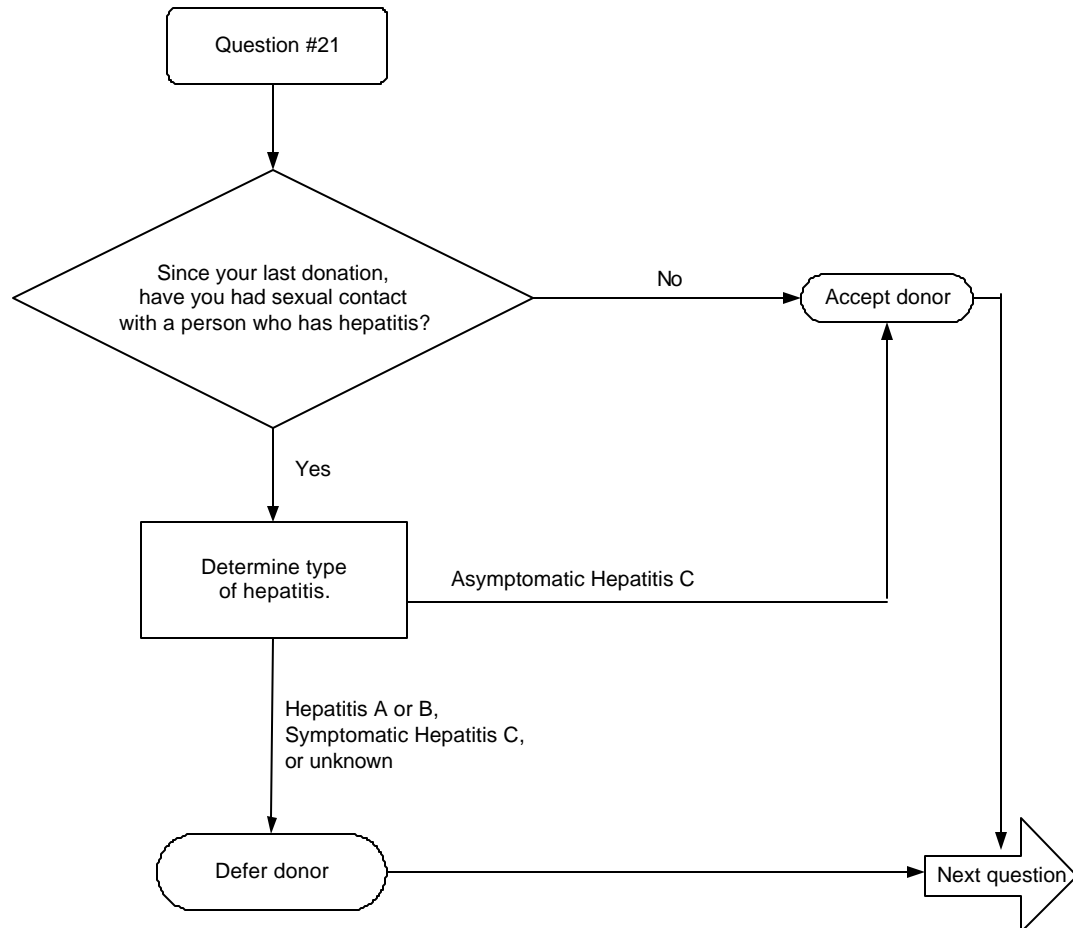
Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 21. Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with a person who has hepatitis?

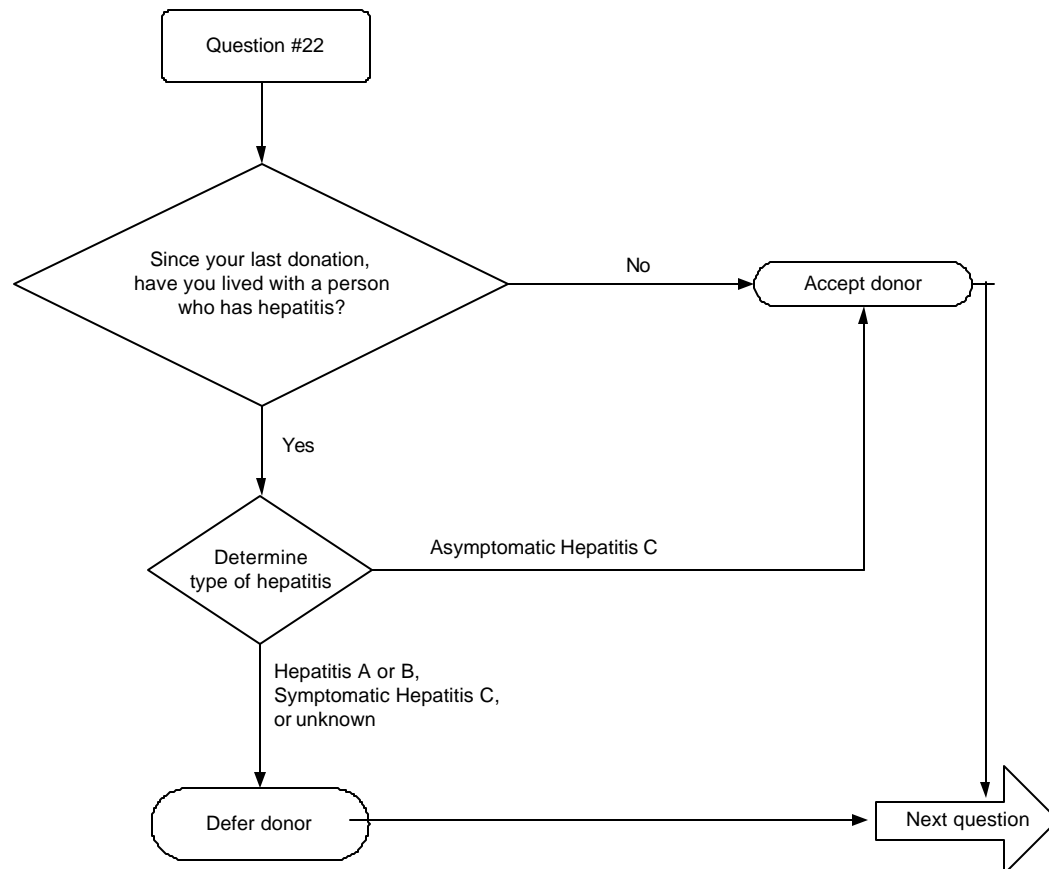
Donor Eligibility: Persons who report having had sexual contact with a person who has hepatitis are to be deferred for 12 months from the time of last exposure. Hepatitis, particularly hepatitis A and B, may be spread through sexual contact.

Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 22. Since your last donation, have you lived with a person who has hepatitis?

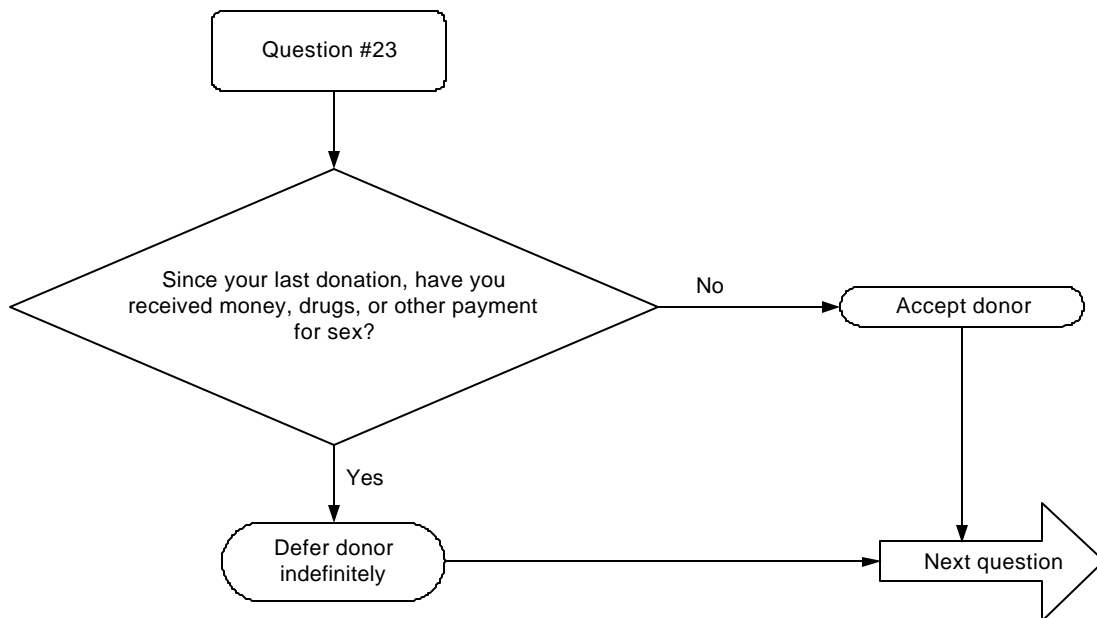
Donor Eligibility: In certain cases, living with a person with hepatitis puts the donor at risk for acquiring hepatitis as well.



Question: 23. Since your last donation, have you received money, drugs, or other payment for sex?

Donor Eligibility: Donors who received money, drugs, or other payment for sex are indefinitely deferred. HIV and other diseases may be transmitted by sexual contact.

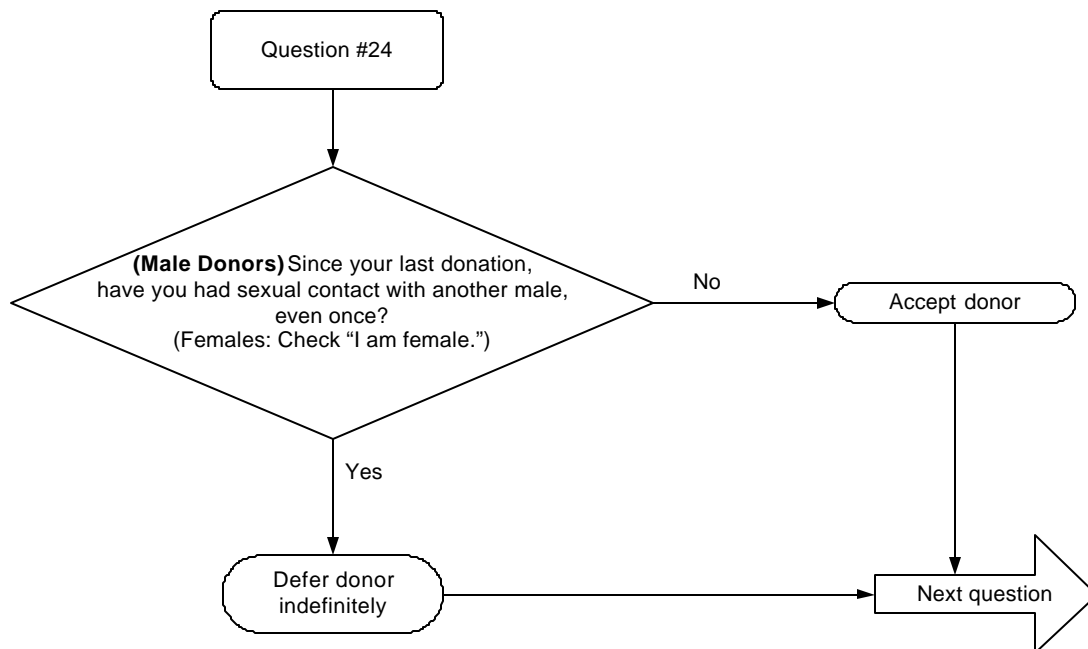
Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 24. (Male Donors) Since your last donation, have you had sexual contact with another male, even once? (Females: Check "I am female.")

Donor Eligibility: Male donors who have had sexual contact with another male, even once, since 1977 are indefinitely deferred. Males who have had sex, even once, with males may be at risk of transmitting infectious diseases. HIV and other diseases may be transmitted through sexual contact.

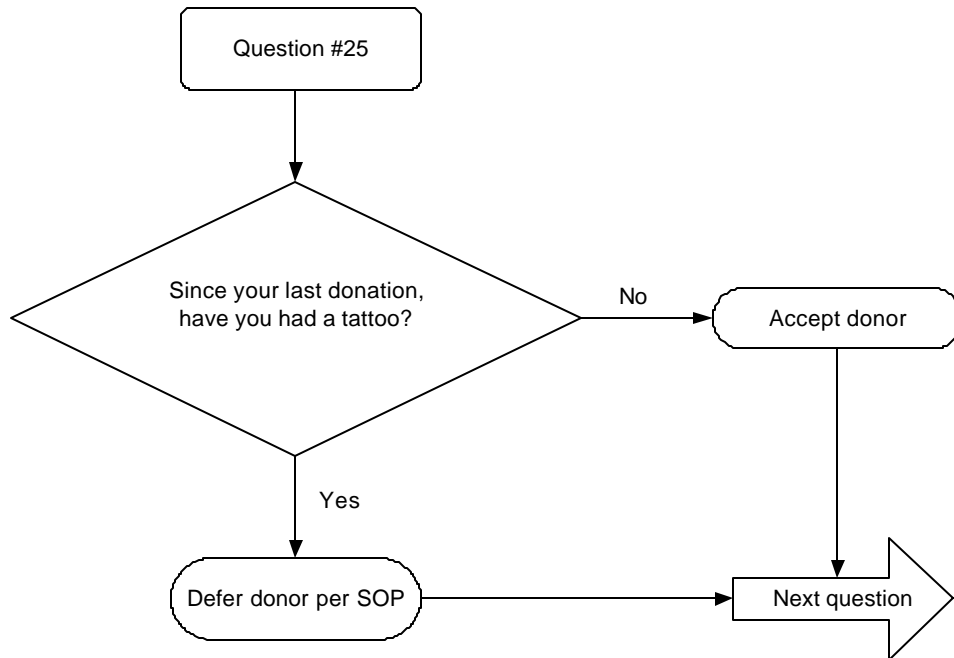
Note: Not all donors define "sex" or "sexual contact" in the same way. The donor must have read the educational materials provided.



Question: 25. Since your last donation, have you had a tattoo?

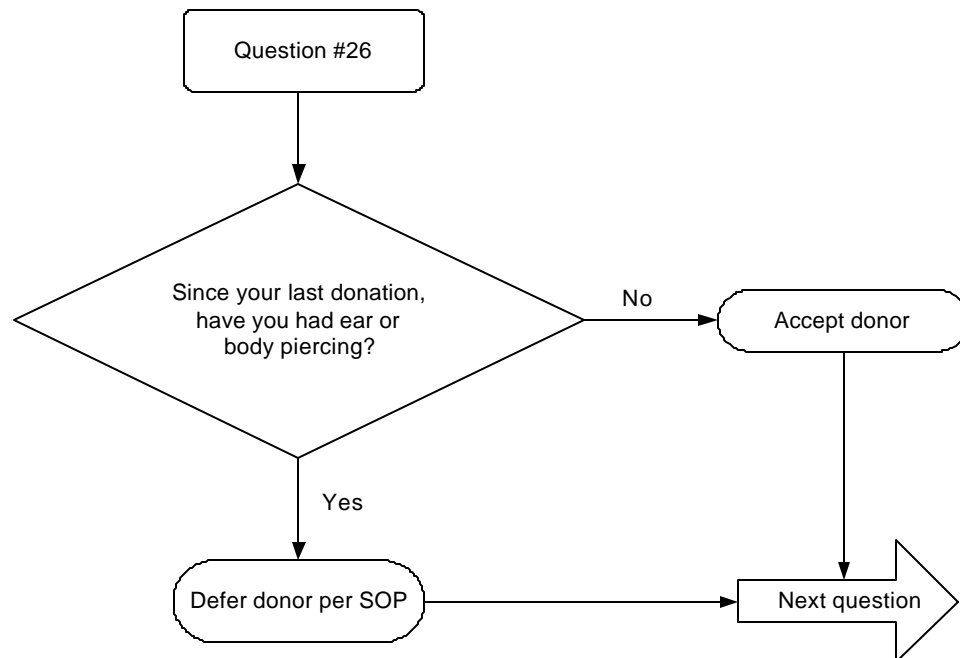
Donor Eligibility: Persons who have had a tattoo in the previous 12 months are deferred for 12 months from the date of the tattoo application. Unless tattoos have been applied using single-use needles and single-use ink, there may be a risk of transmission of infectious diseases.

Note: Tattoos include tattoo "touch ups", tattoos applied by oneself, and those applied by others.



Question: 26. Since your last donation, have you had ear or body piercing?

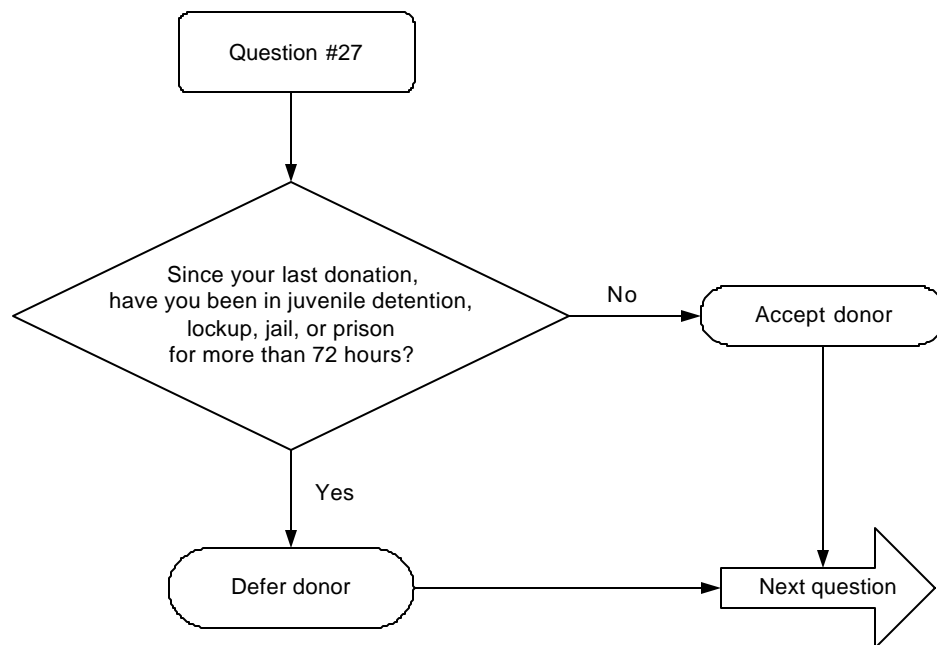
Donor Eligibility: Persons who have had ear or body piercing during the previous 12 months are usually deferred for 12 months from the date of procedure. Unless ear or body piercing has been done using single-use equipment, there may be a risk of transmission of infectious diseases.



Question: 27. Since your last donation, have you been in juvenile detention, lockup, jail, or prison for more than 72 hours?

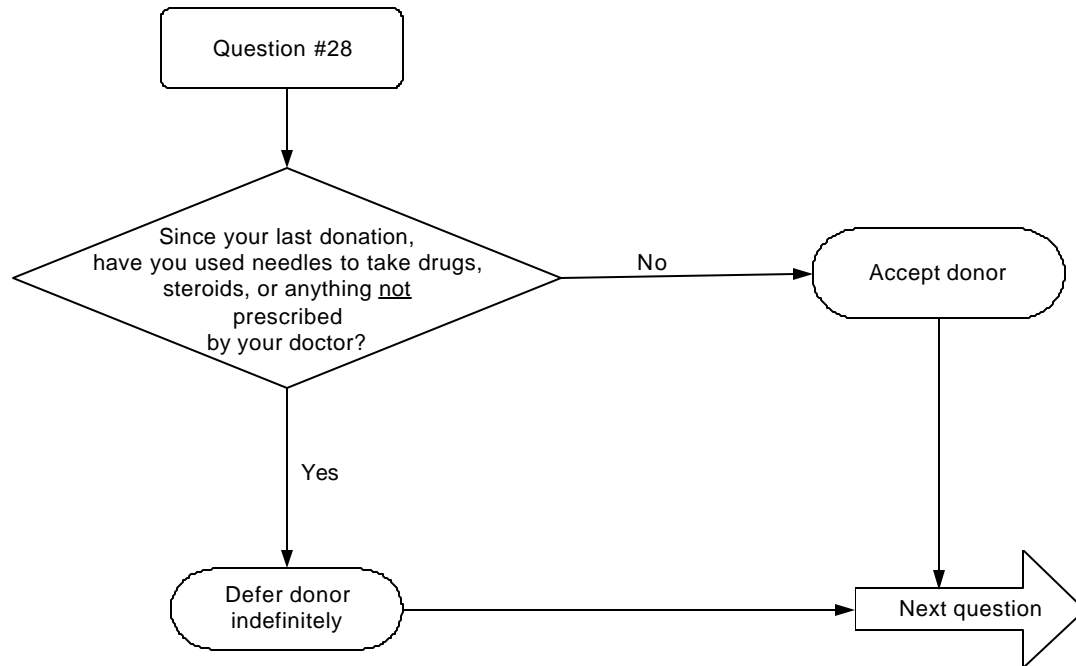
Donor Eligibility: Persons who have been detained or incarcerated in a facility (juvenile detention, lockup, jail, or prison) for more than 72 consecutive hours (3 days) are deferred for 12 months from the date of occurrence. These persons are at higher risk for exposure to infectious diseases.

Note: The reason for incarceration (e.g. white-collar crimes, child support) does not change the deferral.



Question: 28. Since your last donation, have you used needles to take drugs, steroids, or anything not prescribed by your doctor?

Donor Eligibility: Donors who are past or present needle-using drug users are indefinitely deferred due to potential transmission of infectious diseases.



Question: 29. Since your last donation, have any of your relatives had Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease?

Donor Eligibility: Donors with a blood relative with Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease are indefinitely deferred.

Note: If laboratory testing (gene sequencing) shows that the donor does not have a mutation associated with familial CJD, the donor is eligible.

